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STALLINGBOROUGH NEWSLETTER

DECEMBER 2025/

JANUARY 2026



Clerk to the Council—Kathy Peers—Tel. 07494-577661

ITEMS FOR THE FEB/MARCH 2026 NEWSLETTER TO BE IN PLEASE
BY **MONDAY 12TH JANUARY 2026 AND NO LATER**

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Parish Council Notes

The Council meets every month, on the second calendar Wednesday of the month, at the Village Hall, commencing at 7.00 pm. Agendas are published a week before and are on our website. Members of the public are welcome to come along and attend.

The Council met in September and also had a planning meeting in August when it usually has a summer recess break.

Various planning applications were discussed and all planning applications discussed at the PC meetings are available to view on the NELC website at www.nelincs.gov.uk. You just go to the Planning Applications, agree the terms and conditions and then you can input the planning application reference number or the address and it will bring up the documents for you to view.

Various consultations and representations have been received on line and at the meetings from the various solar farms and energy park developments which are ongoing around the Stallingborough area.

All financial information is on our website and the internal audit for the fy 24-25 has now been completed with no issues raised a clean bill of health from the external auditors in London.

All information is on the PC website at www.stallingboroughparishcouncil.com

The Annual Report and Accounts for the Council year 1st April 2024 through to 31st March 2025 has now been published. It will be available on our website but if any resident would like to have a paper copy please contact the Clerk . There will be a small charge for a paper copy of the report.

If you feel that there are other issues affecting you or your local community that should be given priority, please inform your local councillors or your Neighbourhood Policing Team.

The named officers for Immingham, Habrough and Stallingborough ward are: PC 1645 Kris Collins kris-tian.collins@humberside.police.uk PC 913 Helen Linford-Andrews helen.linford-andrews@humberside.police.uk

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Protecting Communities, Targeting Criminals, Making a Difference



Immingham Ward - Stallingborough Update November

Crime

There have been 6 reports of crime in Stallingborough over October. These include 2 burglary offences where alcohol has been stolen from a commercial property on Europa Way and Steel Anchors have been stolen from another Commercial Property on South Marsh Road. Other offences include 2x Criminal Damage and 2x theft from motor vehicle

There were no reports of ASB.

How you can help

Your local Neighbourhood Policing Team appreciates the importance of being in the right place, at the right time, for the right reasons to reassure the public, improve public confidence and reduce crime and anti-social behaviour in the area in which we all live and work.

We encourage all residents to call and report any issues where they live so that we can deal with any issues and step up our patrols in the area. The non-emergency number is 101.

The next meetings of the Council will take place as shown and an Agenda for the meeting always appears on the Parish Council's website approximately one week prior to the meeting.

Any items, please contact Kathy Peers on 07494 577661 or email us clerk@stallingboroughparishcouncil.com

These are the dates for the next scheduled meetings for Stallingborough Parish Council.

Wednesday 10th December 2025

All meetings start at 7.00 pm unless advertised otherwise

Wednesday 14th January 2026

At all meetings the public and press are made most welcome and there is a forum for residents to bring up matters for discussion with the Parish Council.

Agenda is published on the website approximately one week prior to each meeting.

There is not usually a meeting in August .

The Parish Council website at
www.stallingboroughparishcouncil.com

CONTACT DETAILS FOR THE PARISH COUNCIL

To contact the Parish Council , please ring the Parish Clerk, Kathy Peers, in the first instance on tel. no. **07494 577661**

The office is open from 9.00 am to 4.00 pm each weekday. Outside of these times, an answerphone is in operation on that number, so please leave a message and we will come back to you as soon as we can!

Kathy looks after the bookings for the Village Hall and all other Parish Matters, so if you want to book the Hall for a function, need any information on Parish or local authority issues, or want to report anything which concerns the Parish Council, or want to submit anything for the Newsletter, then please contact Kathy as above.

The address for the Parish Council is:
Stallingborough Village Hall,
Station Road,
Stallingborough, NE Lincs.

clerk@stallingboroughparishcouncil.com

Residents are most welcome to post items through the village hall letterbox also.

Email Addresses for Councillors:-

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Vice-Chair:

Cllr. Julie Hoyes (Vice-Chair)
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The Parish Council has its own dedicated website so please look out for this—its address will be 'www.stallingboroughparishcouncil.com'

Emergency Plan December 2025

After some consideration Stallingborough Parish Council have chosen to adopt the proposals set out on the webpage <https://www.lincolnshireresilienceforum.org/prepare/>

which offers practical advice on how to prepare for an emergency should one arise.

This webpage document will be included on the Stallingborough website and details of the plan will be included in the next newsletter to keep as reference.



Ward Councillors for Stallingborough

There are 3 Ward Cllrs. for the Immingham Ward which of course includes Stallingborough Village. Residents can contact their Ward



Cllr. Stewart Swinburn
35 Woodlands Avenue, Immingham
Tel—01469-576899



Cllr. Karen Swinburn
35 Woodlands Avenue, Immingham
Tel—01469-576899



Cllr. Trevor Crofts
2 Clarkson Drive, Stallingborough
Tel—07972-495830

Please note that Ward Councillor Surgeries are now being held on the first Saturday of each month between 11 am and 12 noon at Immingham Civic Centre. No appointment needed, just go along with issues for your 3 Ward Cllrs.

Please note also that Ward Funding for village groups and organisations is available from your Ward Cllrs. Please email them directly for further details.

Stallingborough Village Hall

There is an active programme of classes and groups at Stallingborough Village Hall:

Mondays	Metafit and Zumba	evening
Tuesday s	Yoga	morning
	Slimming World	afternoon/evening
Wednesdays	Over 50's social club	morning
	Bingo	evenings
Thursdays	Sewing Group	afternoons
	Art workshops	monthly
	Kids Dance	afternoons
	WI	first evening of month
Fridays	Which Craft Group	morning/afternoon
	Youth Club	evening
Sundays	Dog training	morning
	AA Group	evening

Please contact us on 07494 577661 for further information on the above clubs—some meet only once a month or once a fortnight so please check with us. We also have Parish Council and Shaping up Stallingborough Meetings taking place each month.

THE HALL AND BAR ARE AVAILABLE FOR PRIVATE HIRINGS ON SATURDAYS AND SUNDAY AFTERNOONS - PLEASE CALL US OR EMAIL US AT clerk@stallingboroughparishcouncil.com TO BOOK.

THERE ARE SPECIAL DISCOUNTED RATES FOR LONGER TERM HIRINGS

Shaping Up Stallingborough



A round up of 2025

Thank you all for your support with our events and improvements this year. To review all that we, as a group, have achieved in 2025, we began with our Coffee and Chat Mondays in January. We then held a very successful Spring Wreath Making Workshop in March as well as our Easter Event at the Community Orchard. We organised a walk around the village and of course held our annual scarecrow festival. The station has been maintained and winter planting has been done. The map of the village is almost complete and we now have the task of creating a digital copy so that we can print the map to display at the station and potentially other locations around the village. We also have our wreath making workshops coming up on 5th and 6th December. We still have a few spaces for the Saturday morning session so email if you would like a last-minute spot.

Recently, we planted over 180 trees on the field with the opportunity given to every child from the Primary School to plant their own tree. These trees have temporary labels and we are looking into a more permanent tag so that the children can watch their tree grow over the years. Thank you to committee member and additional villagers for your help with digging and planting, these events could not take place without you!

Remembrance

Day 2025

A big thank you to everyone who turned out for Remembrance Day on Sunday 9th November 2025.

This event is attracting more people each year and the Parish Council is so grateful to everyone who comes out to take part in the service.

A big thank you to David Clarke for the music, the School for decorating the memorial and also to the WI for helping with refreshments and providing teas and coffees back at the Village Hall.





Celebration of the Nativity



Join us at Keelby Methodist Church

Over the weekend of 5th to 7th December

Over 15 different nativities – both traditional and bespoke to be seen.

Café will be open for drinks and sweet treats.

Opening times are: -

Friday from 6pm, Saturday 10 – 4, Sunday open for worship and then from 1.30 – 4.30

Other activities include



Friday 7pm

Keelby Community Choir Believe Winter Concert

Tickets **£5** from the Edge or Ruth

hkmcchurchcommunitypastor@gmail.com



Saturday 2pm

Glass workshop with Mary Winn

£7.50 places limited

pleases book with Nikki nikki59@hotmail.co.uk

Age 9yrs and above – children accompanied by an adult



Sunday 2pm

Family Christmas Craft Activity



with Sarah and Nikki

Sunday 3.30pm

Short **Nativity Service** to close the weekend

What's to come in 2026

We have lots more exciting things planned for the new year including the rescheduled event for Railway 200 and possibly another Scarecrow Festival. We have our AGM on Wednesday 14th January at 6pm and anyone is welcome to attend. Also, we will hold a coffee morning on 19th January, 9:30 – 11am. This is open to all and is an informal way to express any thoughts you may have on what you wish to see in the village in the coming year.

We ask you to consider what events and new additions to the village you would like to see. Please fill in our online form or email, message or discuss your thoughts with one of our members at our January meeting or coffee morning.

We would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year.

Email: Juliawesley18@hotmail.com

Don't forget to follow us on FB for updates and future events

FB: Shaping Up Stallingborough



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Stallingsborough Town Hall, Station Rd, Stallingsborough,
Grimsby DN41 8AX

We have many fun activities for you to partake in, such as:

- Air hockey
- Pool Table
- Table Tennis
- Table Football
- Game Console
- Comfy area
- Music

For more information please contact at
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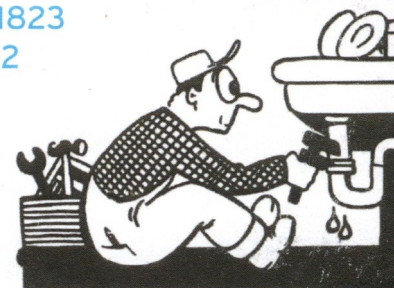
 

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All aboard Santa Special 2025!

Have a visit to Santa with a difference and a day out on the Barton to Cleethorpes railway line!

Last year's Santa Special was our busiest ever, thank you to everyone who joined in the fun!

To make sure even more families can take part this year, we're running four Santa Specials.

On Saturday 6th December 2025 Santa and his helpers will be onboard the 09:51 and 11:51 trains from Barton, and the 10:54 and 12:54 from Cleethorpes.



Chocolate for the children
and festive nibbles for
the grown-ups*



*The Small Print!

- This offer is available to passengers purchasing tickets on the Barton–Cleethorpes line on **one of the services listed above only**. We want to keep numbers comfortable onboard so that everyone has a chance to take part!
- The Barton Cleethorpes Community Rail Partnership is a volunteer-led group supported by fundraising and donations. For more information check out our website and social media page.

 WWW.BCCRP.CO.UK
 WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/BCCRP

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BINGO!

- Bingo is back! Come along every 3 out of 4 Wednesdays.
- The doors open 6:30pm, get your seats and get ready for the game. Eyes down at 7pm, for Bingo to end at 9pm.
- There is a £1 entry, to receive 6 raffle tickets, for the weekly raffle. £7 for a bingo book.
- Join us for a bit of fun and some socialising.
- Everyone is welcome!




The next issue will be February/March 2026 — articles and items in to us by Monday 12th January 2026 please and no later, so we can include them in the next edition.

clerk@stallingboroughparishcouncil.com

CHRISTMAS OFFICE CLOSURE—The Office will be closed from Monday 22nd December 2025 through to Monday 5th January

CHURCH NEWS – ST PETER AND ST PAUL, STALLINGBOROUGH

The current phase of rather more major building work/repairs on the church has been completed and the next phase is under consideration by the PCC. Meanwhile various smaller repairs and refurbishments are ongoing. We are thankful to both the Diocese and the Benefact Trust for help with funding for the more major repair work.

Putting toilet and other facilities in the church is, and has been for a few years, under serious consideration for future community and religious use of the beautiful Georgian building. This of course is a sizeable funding issue in conjunction with design and constructional issues.

The Heritage Week at the church run by Norman Coffey proved very interesting for the many visitors who called in and learned about both the church itself and local history in regard to Stallingborough.

Harvest Festival service in October saw the church dressed up with flowers etc. and donated foods were taken to a local foodbank. Stallingborough and its surrounds may have a lot of industry locally now but years ago it was primarily, in conjunction with so many other villages, agricultural and in a largely agricultural county. This service feels very traditional for those who love our English countryside and are interested in the farming pattern of the year.



STALLINGBOROUGH

Home Grown Christmas Trees Fresh from
the Farm

The Barn will be open daily from 9.00am until
4.0pm,

From Saturday 29th November 2025
onwards

All other information on our website

www.towngatefarm.co.uk

Thank You!

Once again a big thank you to Towngate Farm for donating the Village Christmas Tree for us. Big thanks to McCanns, Grimsby also for putting the lights on for us.

TRADITIONAL VILLAGE CHRISTMAS CAROL SERVICE

St Peter and St Paul's Church, Stallingborough
on Sunday 21st December at 3pm.

All welcome, bring your family and
friends!



VILLAGE HALL GARDEN - HAVE YOUR SAY!!

The Parish Council is looking to improve the rear garden area at the Village Hall and so is asking for ideas from residents.

What would you like to see at the rear of the Hall?

Should it be landscaped? Do we need to keep the grass?

Should we remove the trees and shrubs?

If you have any ideas we would love to hear from you.

Let us have your views at

clerk@stallingboroughparishcouncil.com or

07494 577661 or write to us and post it in
the village hall letterbox.



Christmas approaches and apart from hosting Christmas services for a couple of other local organisations we have our own Village Service on Sunday 21st December at 3pm; it will be a **Carol and Crib Service**. Children like putting the animals in the crib at these services and the Christmas story itself remains as fresh as ever even after 2000 years. We look forward to seeing you there!

It is worth noting that this is your village and your church and things to do with the church are not “secret knowledge”, so if something interests you like sprucing the place up, (the Parish own the church not the Church of England - they put the actual services on), or getting to know a few different people or even having a say in events that might take place in the church then get in touch or come to a service. I’ve always thought myself that the local church is usually quite a good social club if you want to get to know people.

Stallingborough Church PCC wish all in the village a very happy Christmas and all the best for the coming New Year.

Contributed by Philip Harley; Member - Parochial Church Council.

We welcome any enquiries for baptisms, weddings and funerals.

Please contact the Rector: Rev. Christine Goldsmith – 01472 902292/07494870701

christine.goldsmith@lincoln.anglican.org

CHURCH SERVICES – Please support us to help keep our church open.

Hello Everyone,

This will be the last Village Newsletter of 2025, where has the year gone?

Our October 2nd meeting started with a minutes silence in memory of Barbara Salmon who was a W.I. member for many years and contributed a lot to village in various ways. Our speaker was the Reverend Mark Hutson who talked so enthusiastically about his position of Duty Chaplain at QVSR Immingham Docks (Queen Victoria Seamen's Rest). We all enjoyed his talk about his work and he answered our many questions and well deserved his cake and coffee afterwards!!

For various reasons we have had to swap speakers around and at our November 6th meeting Lorna Cullen demonstrated 'Falls Prevention Yoga' which we all had a go at on our chairs and yoga mats. She is an excellent teacher and showed us different exercises to strengthen muscles to help maintain a good balance and hopefully lessen the chance of a fall. We were all given leaflets about the risk of falls and how to get up from a fall in the home (where most falls in older people happen) - all very useful.

On Thursday 4th December we will be having a 'Christmassy' evening when we will be crafting, eating a Faith Supper and of course, talking lots!!

We don't have a meeting in January but we are going out for a celebratory meal at the 'Marrowbone and Cleaver', Kirmington at lunch time on Thursday 22nd January..

Pam Harrison is our speaker at our first meeting of 2026 on Thursday February 5th. Pam works with ceramics so it will be a hands on meeting when we can all create a masterpiece (or not in my case!!). Pam will take our work to fire and they should be back in time for our March meeting.

On Thursday 5th March Graham Day, whose father flew Lancaster Bombers in WW2, is coming to talk to us.

We meet at 7.30pm in Stallingborough Village Hall on the first Thursday of each month (except January and May). Ladies will be made most welcome. If you have any questions about W.I. please feel free to contact me and I'll do my best to help you.

The ladies of Stallingborough W.I. would like to wish you all a Happy, Peaceful Christmas and New Year.

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